Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 10 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Wednesday 11 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 10 Aug 2021 at 02:01 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High on Tuesday, otherwise Medium due to the changeable conditions this week.

Headline for Tuesday 10 Aug 2021: Mainly dry with bright and sunny spells.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 10 Aug 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	20%	20%	20%	<05%

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Weather: Any low cloud and mist gradually clearing this morning, often bright with some sunny spells developing. However, the odd sharp afternoon shower possible, most likely through the Trossachs.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40%, becoming 90% by afternoon.

Visibility: Mostly very good, but poor or very poor in any early morning low cloud and mist. Also in any heavy showers. Extensive or occasional cloud, base well down at first, 600 to 900m, but rising near or above the summits out with any showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	4/5 NE	4/7 NW	6/10 W	10/14 W	10/14 W	8/10 SW	11/14 S
900	3/5 NW	4/7 NW	6/10 W	9/14 W	9/13 W	5/7 SW	8/11 S
600	4/5 SW	4/6 W	7/10 W	10/15 W	10/14 W	6/8 SW	7/9 S
300	3/4 SE	3/5 W	6/10 W	6/11 W	7/11 W	3/4 SE	5/7 S
Glen	3/7 W	3/6 W	6/10 W	9/16 W	8/15 W	4/8 NW	3/6 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	6/5	6/5	8/6	7/4	6/3	6/3	5/2
900	8/8	10/9	12/10	11/9	10/8	8/7	7/5
600	10/10	11/11	13/12	12/11	12/10	10/9	10/8
300	12/12	14/14	15/14	15/14	14/14	13/12	12/11
Glen	14/14	16/16	18/17	18/16	17/15	14/14	12/12
Freezing Level*	2300m	2300m	2300m	2300m	2300m	2200m	2100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Wednesday 11 Aug 2021
Weather: Dry with patchy cloud and occasional clear spells overnight. A dry start to the day, but soon mostly cloudy with outbreaks of rain developing, heavy and persistent at times. Some drier and brighter spells should return by evening with a fine end to the day. Windy at height, although easing later.

Maximum wind: South 25 to 30 gusts 40mph, easing later in the day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 20% around the middle of the day, becoming 80% in the evening.

Visibility: Good or very good becoming moderate in rain and poor or very poor at height. Extensive cloud, base 600m to 900m, but lifting and clearing summits in the evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 12 rising to 18 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 7 to 11 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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